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EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

OKANOGAN HIGHLANDS
ALLIANCE,

Plaintiff,

v.

CROWN RESOURCES
CORPORATION and KINROSS
GOLD, USA, INC.,

Defendants.

No: 2:20-CV-147-RMP

and

No: 2:20-CV-170-RMP

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED
MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE
RELATED CASES

STATE OF WASHINGTON,

Plaintiff,

v.

CROWN RESOURCES
CORPORATION, and KINROSS
GOLD USA, INC.,

Defendants.

BEFORE THE COURT is the parties' Stipulated Motion for Order of
Consolidation, ECF No. 10 in case number 2:20-cv-147-RMP and ECF No. 12 in
ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE RELATED
CASES ~ 1

1 case number 2:20-cv-170-RMP. After reviewing the files and records herein, and
2 the Court having been fully advised, the Court finds that the subject cases present
3 common issues of law and fact, and that there is good cause to consolidate the
4 related cases as requested.

5 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

6 1. The parties' Stipulated Motion for Order of Consolidation, ECF No. 10
7 in case number 2:20-cv-147-RMP and ECF No. 12 in case number 2:20-cv-170-
8 RMP, is **GRANTED**.

9 2. *Okanogan Highlands Alliance v. Crown Resources Corporation and*
10 *Kinross Gold U.S.A., Inc.*, No. 2:20-cv-147-RMP, and *State of Washington v.*
11 *Crown Resources Corporation and Kinross Gold U.S.A., Inc.*, No. 2:20-cv-170-
12 RMP shall be **consolidated** under **Case No. 2:20-cv-147-RMP**.

13 3. Pursuant to the parties' stipulation, Defendants' shall respond to the
14 Complaints filed by Okanogan Highlands Alliance and State of Washington on or
15 before **July 7, 2020**.

16 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Clerk is directed to enter this
17 Order, amend the parties as needed, provide copies of this order to counsel, and
18 **close case number 2:20-cv-170-RMP**.

19 **DATED** June 25, 2020.

20 s/ Rosanna Malouf Peterson
ROSANNA MALOUF PETERSON
21 United States District Judge